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15. SUMMARY:
(C/NFD) There is a strong rumor that the Federal Government intends to retire the President of the Bundesamt fuer Verfassungsschutz (Federal Office for the Protection of the Constitution) (BfV), Hubert SCHUEBBERG, before SCHUEBBERG reaches the mandatory retirement age. He is to be succeeded by Ministerialdirektor Dr. Guenter NOLLAU, presently head of a department in the Federal Ministry of Interior which exercises supervision over the BfV and the Bundeskriminalamt (BKA) (Federal Criminal Police Directorate). Prior to the assignment to his present office, NOLLAU was Vice President of the BfV and is, therefore, familiar with its mission and operations. NOLLAU's replacement is rumored to be the present Chief of the Landesamt fuer Verfassungsschutz Niedersachsen (LfV NS) (State Office for the Protection of the Constitution Land Lower Saxony), Ministerialdirigent Hans-Joachim PRILL. Since PRILL's previous assignment in the Office of the Senator of the Interior of West Berlin was the general supervision over the Berlin police department, he would have the necessary experience and requirements for such a position.

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COMMENT (C/NFD): Source is, through political and intelligence connections, in a position to report such a rumor with a certain degree of probability. The reported change was recommended by a group of key politicians of the Sozialdemokratische Partei Deutschlands (Social Democratic Party of Germany) which exerts some pressure on the Federal Government. Source was not in a position to say who, in case the above change will be effected, would succeed PRILL as Chief of the LfV NS.

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